The Aphaeresis Department of the American Red Cross Blood Services, a non-profit organization dedicated to supplying the County of Los Angeles and the Nation with blood and blood products for the many patients who need them, are holding a picnic in the Meadows Area of Whittier Narrows Park, on September 21, 2003 to honor the many platelet donors and their families who devote their personal time in order to save the lives of critically ill patients in our community. These donors provide an invaluable service to our community by ensuring that blood, platelets and plasma are available to every person when they need it.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT the Board of Supervisors instruct the Department of Parks and Recreation to waive the area use fee of \$1,075, excluding the cost of liability insurance and waive the parking fee of \$3.00 per vehicle for the donors and their families attending the picnic.

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